THE COLUMBIAN MIRROR
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

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VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be exposed for sale at the Vendue-Store corner of Prince and Water Streets,

A VARIETY OF

Wet and Dry Goods,

of which the particulars will be given previous to the sale.

The business of VENDUE MASTER having devolved entirely on the subscriber, he informs the Public, that the store will always be kept open for the reception of GOODS, and selling such articles therein, between the times of Public Sales, as may be on limitation. He likewise offers his services in transacting any kind of Commission Business,

PHILIP G. MARSTELLER.

LOST,

On Thursday Evening, between the Mall and Gadsby's Tavern,

A SADDLE, about half worn, with a small hole worn on the pommel, and a blue Cloth bound with red. A generous Reward will be given for the delivery of it at the above Tavern.

February 11. 3t

THE Subscriber being solicitous to discharge the obligations he is under, begs those who have had dealings with him, as well in the year 1798, when Cumberland Wilson was in the business, as since the expiration of that year, to come forward and discharge their respective balances. All those out standing on the 20th instant, will be put in suit. He likewise reminds those indebted to the estate of C. Wilson, late of this place, that no longer indulgence can be given, it being necessary to bring the affairs of the estate to a close as soon as possible.

He has on hand a considerable Stock of DRY GOODS, which he will sell at reduced prices, for Cash or Produce,

JAMES LORIMER.

Dumfries, February 8, 1800. 8w

Valuable Jacks & Jennets

FOR SALE.

Will be sold, for ready Money,
At Mount Vernon Mill,
On the 5th day of March, if fair, if not, the next fair day,

A Number of valuable JACKS and JENNETS, superior in size and strength to any in the United States. Most of the Jennets are with foal by the imported Jack, Knight of Malta. Gentlemen wishing to purchase, it is presumed will be anxious to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Also will be offered for Sale,
A valuable STUD HORSE, remarkable for his beauty and strength.

THE EXECUTORS.

February 10. tds

HOPS.

LATELY RECEIVED,
The best fresh Hops,
And for Sale, by
J. G. LADD.

February 11.

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY COMPANY.

THE Members of the Alexandria Library Company will please to take Notice, that a general meeting of the Company will be held at the Council Chamber, on Monday the 17th inst. at three o'clock in the afternoon, agreeable to the act of incorporation, for the purpose of electing, by ballot, a President and eleven Directors, for the ensuing year. It is hoped that every Member who has the permanent good of this valuable institution sincerely at heart will make it a point to attend and give his vote on this occasion. The ballots will be opened at 6 o'clock.

JAMES KENNEDY, Sen.
Librarian.

February 4. 2w

☞ The Directors having come to a Resolution to re-admit all their Members who were in arrears at the time the Company was incorporated to a share therein, on their paying such arrears to the Treasurer, on or before the 17th inst. and to exclude all those who do not pay as aforesaid, have ordered me to notify the same to all whom it may concern.

J. K. Lib.

February 11.

☞ WANTED to Hire—A Negro Woman who can Cook, Wash, and Iron. Enquire of the Printers.

NOTICE.

THOSE indebted to the Estate of ANDREW WALES, deceased, will please to call and pay the amount to the Executors; and any that have accounts against the said estate will please present them, legally proved, that th business may be brought to a close as soon as possible.

THO'S VOWELL, jun. } Ex'rs.
JOHN BOYER, }

February 8. 3m

On Saturday the 15th inst. will be sold, at Public Vendue,

ALL the personal Estate of ANDREW WALES, deceased, at the house of Mr. Low, on Union Street; consisting of feather beds, bedsteads, one good eight day clock, a billiard table and cloth, chairs, tables, &c. A credit of six months will be given for sums above twenty dollars, by giving bond and security.

THO'S VOWELL, jun. } Ex'rs.
JOHN BOYER, }

February 8, 4t

George-Town, February 6, 1800.

THE President and Directors of the Potomak Company will hold a Board on Friday the 14th and Saturday the 15th inst. at the Union Tavern, in George-Town, for the purpose of examining and liquidating all unsettled claims against the said Company.

All persons having claims are requested to lodge their accounts, duly stated and accompanied by vouchers, with the subscriber, at least three days previous to the sitting of the Board, in order that they may be compared with the Books—Funds will then be ready to pay off all accounts which may be passed.

JOSEPH CARLETON,
Treasurer of the Potomak Company.

115th

For Freight or Charter

To Charleston or other Southern Port,
The Schooner

ADAMANT,

AARON PRATT, Master,

Burthen about 700 barrels. She is an excellent flyboat vessel, packet built, with good accommodations for passengers.

Apply to the Master on board, at Harper's Wharf, or J. G. LADD.

For Sale, on board said vessel,
30 Barrels of Tanners' Oil.
Apply as above.

January 2, 1800.

For Sale,

The Schooner
POLLY,

Burthen 600 barrels, a stout vessel, and fast sailer; will be delivered in complete order, ready for sea. Apply to
R. & J. HAMILTON.

ALSO,

12 Tons of Logwood,

Received by said vessel from New Providence.

January 25.

WOOD

WILL BE DELIVERED,
AT
Pamonky Landing,
About 18 miles below Alexandria,

To any person who may wish to purchase any number of Cords, on the cheapest Terms. Apply to the Printer hereof.

February 6. tf

Coarse Woollens & Hosiery

LATELY IMPORTED,
And to be sold, by
W. Hartshorne & Son,
At their Store, in King-Street, next door above Bennett and Watts's, viz.

HALF-THICKS, kerseys, Kendal cottons, white, blue and brown—Coatings, viz. blue, drab, olive, bloom, copper, mixed, striped and clouded—small coverlets or cadors—men, women and boys' silk, cotton and worsted hose, in which there is a great variety—a few dozen of women's cotton do.—all of which will be sold at very reduced prices, for Cash or good Notes, negotiable in the Bank of Alexandria.

December 28.

Thompson & Veitch

HAVE IMPORTED,
In the brigs Fanny, from London, and George, from Liverpool,
Fall Goods;
Also, 8, 10 and 20d. Nails.

October 17.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,
By Josiah Faxon & Co.
A general Assortment of
SHOES:

Amongst which are ladies' kid, Morocco and leather flippers; gentlemen's fine shoes and pumps of the first quality, equal to any country made; womens' stuff and rand shoes and slippers; misses' Morocco and leather flippers; boys' fine and coarse shoes; children's Morocco and leather shoes.

ALSO,

1600 Bushels of Lymington Salt, suitable for the fisheries

Rhode Island and Boston lime, fresh from the kilns

Beef in barrels

Shad and herrings in barrels

Malaga wine in quarter casks

Mould and dipt candles

Sugar boxes and firkins

Loaf sugar

Coffee in bags

West India rum

Gin in cases

Powder and shot;

All of which will be sold on reasonable terms.

January 21. 3w

Roberts & Griffith

HAVE JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,

6000lb. Green Coffee
5000lb. New Orleans Cotton
30 Casks Malaga Wine
60 Boxes Muscadell Raisins
20 Boxes mould Candles
10 Casks 3d. and 4d. cut nails
15 Quarter Casks nice imported Gun powder.
Patent Shot, B. B. B. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.
30 Boxes Real Spanish Segars.
Imperial, hyson, young hyson, hyson skin, souchong and bohea teas, in quarter chests
Loaf and brown sugar
Molasses, rum, brandy
A few kegs ground ginger
Hard and soft shelled almonds in sacks and kegs
Pepper, pimento and nutmegs
Madder, allum, copperas, brimstone and fig blue
Indigo, Carolina and Spanish
Salt and salpetre
Writing & wrapping paper, &c.

December 10. eutw—1 6w.

REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber has removed his Store from Prince to Fairfax Street, where he offers

FOR SALE,
A variety of
Seasonable Goods,
CONSISTING OF

Coarse and fine cloths
Kerseymeres and swandowns
Flannels, baizes, and coatings
Blankets and blanketing
Velvets, thicksets, and corduroys
Worsted, cotton, and silk hose
Stuffs, calicoes, and chintzes
Plain, japanned, and tambured muslins
Shawls and handkerchiefs
Silks and ribbons assorted
Irish and German linens
Ostrich and bunch feathers
A general assortment of Gloves
White beads and umbrellas
Shoes and hats
Loaf sugar

An elegant assortment of
WATCHES AND JEWELLERY.
as usual,
And a variety of other articles.
ALSO
A Forte Piano,
a little out of repair, to be sold very low.

A. C. CAZENOVE.

December 21.

The Eagle Tavern.

THE subscriber respectfully notices its former customers, and the public generally, that the management of this INN is now under his immediate direction. From inclination and interest he will aim to please—and being provided with every thing requisite for the convenient and comfortable accommodation of his customers, he flatters himself he will receive proportionate encouragement.

He desires those who have claims against Mr. William M'Knight, the former proprietor, to render their accounts to him for settlement—to whom those indebted must make payment before the first of March next.

CHARLES M'KNIGHT.

Jan. 25. 3wep—12awtf.

JOHN FOSTER

Has at his Warehouse, at the corner of Prince and Royal Streets, formerly occupied by Mr. David Wilson Scott,

PRIME Philadelphia Pork in barrels;
Prime and cargo Beef in do.
Madeira, Sherry, Port, Lisbon, Tenneriffe, and Malaga Wines of a superior quality;
Cognac, French and Spanish Brandy;
4th proof Jamaica Spirits;
Grenada do.
Holland Gin;
London Draught Porter in hogsheads;
Imperial, Hyson, Y'g Hyson, Hyson skin, Souchong & Bohea Teas of the first quality;
Scotch Barley of a superior quality;
Alum;
Which he will sell by the package or otherwise on very moderate terms for cash or negotiable notes.

Alexandria, 10th Sept. 1799

Durham Mustard in cases and bottles;
Black Pepper;
Allspice;
Anchovies and Capers;
Fig Blue;
Writing & Wrapping Paper;
6d. 10d. 12d. and 20 Nails in casks;
Gilt, Plated & Metal Coat & Breast Buttons;
White Chapel Needles assorted;
Brass Cabinet Wares;
A small assortment of Plated Candlesticks, Wax Stands, Bottle Slides, Salts, Tea Pots, Cream Ewers, &c. Cloths, Shoe blacking, Dairy and House Brushes;
Smiths Vices, black and bright—

Alexandria Brewery.

THE subscriber, having taken the above Brewery, lately occupied by Mr. ANDREW WALES, takes the liberty of informing the inhabitants of Alexandria and its Vicinity, that he has commenced that Business, and will be ready, in the course of a week, to supply all who may honour him with their commands, with

Strong, Table & Small Beer.

From his knowledge and experience in this line, he trusts that he will be able to give general satisfaction.

He has now for Sale,
GRAINS and YEAST.—The Grains will be delivered every Wednesday and Saturday—The Yest every day, except Sunday.

WILL'M BILLINGTON.

November 5.

☞ *NOTICE.*

THE Partnership of SHREVE & LAWRASON by mutual consent dissolved this day—Any persons having claims against that firm are desired to bring them forward for settlement; and those who are indebted to it are desired to make payment to either

BENJAMIN SHREVE, or
JAMES LAWRASON.

Alexandria, December 31, 1799. eptf

R. T. Hooe & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,
From Hamburg, by the schooner Neptune, Capt. Coleman, and
HAVE FOR SALE,

A Quantity of Hessian Linens, Britannias, Platillas and Bagging.

They have likewise on hand a few bales of British Shirtings, Barbadoes Sugar in hhds. and barrels, and a few hhds. of Molasses.

Alexandria, January 25, 1800. tf

Abel Willis

HAS JUST NOW LANDED,
From Norfolk,
CRAB CIDER in barrels,
Sugar in do.
French Brandy in pipes,
Bacon Hams, newly cured,
A quantity of fine Oranges, with
A variety of other nice eatables.
Also For Sale, at Col. Gilpin's Coal Yard,
600 Bushels of best James River Coal.

January 16. tf

NOTICE

Is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Bank of Alexandria,
That a Dividend of four and a half per cent. on the capital stock of said Bank, for the half year ending this day is declared, and will be ready to be paid to them or their representatives, on Thursday next.

By order of the President & Directors.

GURDEN CHAPIN, Cash'r.

January 7. 4w2aw

Hay in Bundles

FOR SALE BY
W. HARTSHORNE & SON.

December 21,

The Columbian Mirror
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

CONSTITUTION
OF THE
WASHINGTON SOCIETY
OF
ALEXANDRIA.

OUR Country having loſt a Citizen in the late illuſtrious GEORGE WASHINGTON, the able, ſucceſsful and heroic Leader of our Armies during the Revolutionary War, which gave us Independence; the late wiſe, moderate and pacific Preſident of the United States, whoſe unſullied Virtue, Wiſdom and Magnanimity in diſcharging the duties of his public functions, whoſe rectitude and benevolence in his ſtation, of a Man and Citizen, were at once an elevated Example, and the ſource of unequaled benefits to the Community; WE DEEM IT, not only a tribute juſtly due to his memory, but the important and uſeful means of giving a laſting impreſſion, and exciting a generous emulation of exalted Merit, to adopt a plan the beſt calculated to preſerve in our minds, and in thoſe of our fellow citizens, an animated recollection of thoſe virtues which ſo eminently contributed to his Glory.

As human nature derives, from its peculiar capacity for ſocial inſtitution, all its greatneſs and many of its moſt exalted qualities; as every effort of individual man, unaided by ſocial co operation, is comparatively weak and inefficient of the greateſt moral and political ends, ſo particular objects of beneficence have been ever found to be advanced with moſt energy and effect by ſubordinate aſſociations of men, purſuing ſincerely, in concert, the attainment of their purpoſe:

To the end, therefore, that we may, in the moſt becoming and effectual manner, commemorate the virtues and the glorious actions of that much lamented Citizen, and that we may aid and perpetuate certain charities which his humane and munificent mind delighted to exerciſe—WE DO VOLUNTARILY ASSOCIATE OURSELVES under the appellation hereafter mentioned, and do adopt the following Articles for our conſtitutional regulation; to an honorable obſervance of which we do acknowledge ourſelves to be ſolemnly pledged:

ARTICLE I.

Section 1. This Society ſhall be unlimited as to the number of its members, and ſhall hereafter be known, and called, by the name of "THE WASHINGTON SOCIETY OF ALEXANDRIA."

Section 2. This Society ſhall meet quarterly, for the purpoſe of diſcuſſing uſeful ſubjects—and that the queſtion for diſcuſſion may be maturely conſidered, it ſhall be agreed upon by the Society at each meeting preceding the one at which it is to be diſcuſſed. The days of meeting ſhall be 22d of February, the 22d of May, the 22d of Auguſt, and the 22d of November, in every year. If either of thoſe times of meeting ſhould happen on Sunday, in any year, the ſame ſhall be poſtponed until the day following.

Section 3. The 22d of February ſhall be conſidered and obſerved as AN ANNIVERSARY by this Society; and on this day, in each year, an ORATION ſhall be delivered by a member of the Society, to be choſen by ballot at the preceding Anniverſary.

Section 4. A number equal to one third of the members reſident in the Town of Alexandria, ſhall conſtitute a quorum to do buſineſs: and for the admiſſion of new members, each Candidate ſhall be propoſed at the quarterly meeting next preceding that at which he is to be balloted for; and a majority of three fourths of the members preſent ſhall be neceſſery to elect him.

Section 5. Every member, upon his admiſſion into and ſubſcription to this Aſſociation, ſhall pay Four Dollars for the eſtabliſhment of an immediate fund; and ſhall moreover contribute One Dollar at the expiration of every three months thereafter. A ſum not leſs than Two Hundred Dollars ſhall be annually appropriated to the ſupport of the Waſhington Free School, in the manner deemed moſt expedient by the Committee hereafter mentioned: *Provided always*, that if any member, upon his admiſſion, ſhall pay in advance Thirty Dollars, he ſhall be thereafter exonerated from all the contributions required by this Conſtitution.

Section 6. A copperplate diploma, or certificate of membership, ſhall be provided by the Society; a copy of which ſhall be furniſhed to each member, at a price that will reimburſe the expence of procuring it. Each member alſo ſhall be provided with a medal, at his own expence; the weight, model, and device of which ſhall be agreed upon by the Society.

ARTICLE II.

Section 1. The Officers of this Society ſhall conſiſt of a Preſident, two Vice Preſidents, a Chaplain, a Treaſurer, and Secretary; who ſhall be elected by ballot, annually, on the 22d of November.

Section 2. The Preſident, or in his abſence, either of the Vice-Preſidents, ſhall be the organ of the Society when aſſembled; ſhall preſerve order, and be the ſole judge thereof, except in thoſe caſes provided for by the ſtanding rules and ordinances; and ſhall ſign all inſtruments of writing made out in the name of the Society.

Section 3. It ſhall be the duty of the Treaſurer to make application to the ſeveral members of the Society, for the payment of all contributions required by this Conſtitution. He ſhall ſubmit his accounts annually to the examination of the Society, at the meeting to be held on the 22d November.

Section 4. It ſhall be the duty of the Secretary to keep an exact journal of the proceedings of the Society, and to inſert them from time to time, in a book furniſhed him for that purpoſe. He ſhall alſo be provided with another book, wherein he ſhall, from time to time, record the Orations annually delivered, and ſuch other compoſitions or inſtruments of writing as the Society ſhall pleaſe to direct.

Section 5. A ſtanding committee of five members ſhall be annually elected by ballot (of whom the Preſident ſhall be one *ex officio*) a majority of whom ſhall have excluſively the power of drawing on the Treaſurer. They ſhall ſuperintend the diſburſements of all monies appropriated by the Society to particular purpoſes, and eſpecially direct the expenditure of the ſpecific ſum ſet apart by this conſtitution, for the ſupport of the Waſhington Free School.

ARTICLE III.

Section 1. To alter or amend this Conſtitution, it ſhall be indiſpenſably neceſſary that notice thereof be given at the quarterly meeting next preceding the one at which ſuch alteration or amendment will be propoſed, and the concurrence of a number, equal to two thirds of the reſident members, ſhall be required for its adoption.

RULES AND ORDINANCES.

1. As ſoon as the Preſident takes the chair, on the day of the meeting, the Secretary ſhall read the journal of the proceedings of the preceding meeting.

2. A motion made by any member muſt be ſeconded by another, before any queſtion is taken thereon.

3. Every member when about to ſpeak ſhall riſe reſpectfully from his ſeat, and addreſs the Preſident.

4. No member ſhall be allowed to ſpeak more than once on the ſame ſubject, unleſs leave be firſt obtained from the Society.

5. If the Preſident wiſhes to take part in any diſcuſſion, he ſhall be at liberty to call one of the Vice Preſidents to the chair, to enable him to do ſo.

6. All queſtions, other than thoſe of order, ſhall be decided by a majority of the members preſent.

7. No member ſhall remain ſtanding while the Preſident is putting the queſtion.

8. The place of the enſuing meeting ſhall be fixed by the Society before adjournment.

9. The Secretary ſhall give public notice of each meeting, that abſent members may be informed thereof.

PROVISIONAL ARTICLE.

The ſeveral officers of this Society ſhall be elected at the preſent Meeting, and the firſt quarterly meeting to be held, agreeable to this Conſtitution, ſhall be fixed for the 22d of May, in the preſent year.

(A Copy.)

G. DENEALE, Sec'ry.

FROM EUROPE.

TRANSLATED FOR THE DAILY ADVERTISER.

From Hamburgh Papers.

The following paragraphs are tranſlated from Hamburgh papers to December 1, received at the office of the Daily Advertiſer.

MUNICH, NOVEMBER 20.

Prince Suwarrow has informed our elector, that he has orders to return to Ruſſia, with the troops under his command.

KEMMINGEN, NOVEMBER 17.

The imperial Ruſſian army will break up their preſent cantonments the 24th & 26th inſt. if no counter order is given—and begin their return in 2 colums; the one by way of Prague and Cracow, the other by way of Brun and Lemberg.

VENICE, NOVEMBER 12.

Ancona has not yet fallen—General Frolich is forced to beſiege it regularly.—The French have made a ſtrong fortreſs of this place in a ſhort time, and the Italian Jacobins who are in it, in conjunction with the garriſon, make a deſperate reſiſtance.

By orders from Vienna, the Conclave is at all events to be held on the iſland St. Giorgio Magglore. A number of workmen are buſied day and night to make arrangements for the Conclare which will begin very ſhortly.

HELDESHIM, NOV. 26.

The French general Durpi, paſſed thro' this place this morning, as courier to Berlin, to notify to that court the change of government in France. This general was Buonaparte's aid in Egypt.

MANHEIM, NOV. 22.

Couriers are exchanged almoſt every day, between this capital, and Paris. It is ſaid that general Lecourbe has demanded his diſmiſſion, and that general Mareau has received orders ſpeedily to inſpect all the armies of the republic, after which he will take upon himſelf the chief command of the army of the Rhine, which is to be encreaſed to 100,000 men, before the end of February. Philipſburgh will not be able to hold out a long blockade, the principal part of the French army being now before it, and its garriſon having, during the laſt blockade, loſt 700 men, who were to have joined general Gorger. Diviſions of troops are continually arriving here from Alſace, to reinforce the French army—The rumours of an armiſtic being negociating, ſtill continue, but it is ſaid that the French with to extend their line farther into Suabia than it is in the power of the allies to grant them. Neckerau is become a regular ſmall fortreſs.

STUTGARD, NOV. 20.

How ſoon, and by what route the Ruſſian army will march, is not yet determined. It is likewiſe not thought impoſſible, that under certain circumſtances, contrary orders might be received from St. Peterſburg. To what diſtance the field marſhal will withdraw, is alſo not known, as the Ruſſian army is to take a poſition in which it may be able to protect the ſtates of the emperor of Ruſſia, and of his allies. It is thought, by ſome, that it is to remain in Bohemia. At Munich, application has been made in form for the paſſage of theſe troops, and a number of veſſels have been put in a ſtate of requiſition, as their proceeding by land might meet with too many obſtacles in the preſent ſeaſon, on account of the badneſs of the roads, and ſcarcity of proviſions and forage. To make the neceſſary arrangements, will require a fortnight at leaſt. The heavy artillery is to be conveyed on the Danube, as far as Linz.

Conde's corps will, for the preſent, return to Upper Bavaria, and its head quarters will be removed from Landſberg to Waſſerburg, on the In. The poſitions of the Imperial army will alſo be entirely changed.

NOVEMBER 27.

Fears are ſtill entertained here for the fate of Suabia during the winter. Much will depend on the circumſtances, whether, and how long, the Ruſſian army will remain in Suabia, and againſt which quarter the Archduke's army may direct its operations. At our court, they are buſily employed in packing up, but the Margrave of Baden will, at all events, remain at Carlſhrune with his family. Whatever belongs to the Imperial Embaſſy has been removed to Ulm.

MEMMINGEN NOVEMBER 16.

All emigrants, from whatever country they may be, have received orders from the Archduke, to remove behind the Lech without delay. The neighborhood of the Lake of Conſtance they were obliged to quit in 48 hours—Whether the want of proviſions, or other grounds, have cauſed this order, is not known.

MADRID, OCTOBER 29.

His Catholic Majeſty has made a requiſition of 30 millions of reals from his clergy in Europe and 36 millions of reals from that of America, without any form or previous condition whatever. The deputies from the clergy, who had nearly finiſhed their deliberations on the voluntary donations, have been remanded to their reſpective parithes. It was ſuppoſed that the king had received a ſecret intimation that the voluntary donation reſolved upon, would be far below his expectations, wherefore it was thought adviſeable to diſſolve their meeting.

On account of the deficiency in our revenue, it is again in agitation to open a loan of three millions in Holland, the filling of which is, however, much doubted.

LOWER ELBE, NOVEMBER 27.

The exchange, as we ſtated before, is labouring to riſe again; and we fear it will continue to labour until more caſh and bullion arrives in the Hamburg market. One hundred thouſand pounds, which had been ſent from hence to the Texel, have been returned again, which, together with what may arrive in the three Engliſh packets now due, perhaps will give ſome favorable turn to the exchange, eſpecially if it ſhould come higher from London, and no more failures have taken place.

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Wedneſday, Feb. 5.

Mr. Livingſton, from the Committee appointed to wait on the Preſident of the United States, with the reſolution requeſting information relative to the requiſition for, and delivery of Jonathan Robbins, under the 27th article of the Britiſh treaty—reported that the Committee had performed that ſervice; and that the Preſident ſaid "he would take their requeſt into conſideration, and return an anſwer in due ſeaſon."

Mr. Otis laid the following reſolution on the table, viz.

Reſolved, That the Preſident of the Senate, and Speaker of the Houſe of Repreſentatives, be authoriſed to cloſe the preſent ſeſſion, by adjourning their reſpective houſes, on the firſt Monday in April next.

TREES & QUICKS.

TO BE SOLD, AT MOUNT VERNON,
By the Subſcriber,

SOME hundreds of grafted Apple Trees, a quantity of Lombardy Poplar do. ſome of which are 9 feet high, ſome thouſands of Honey Locuſts fit to plant for hedge rows, and 12 or 15 thouſands of Quicks of the beſt white Hawthorn, which were imported from Britain more than 18 months ago, and now in perfection to plant in hedge rows. The whole, or any part thereof, will be ſold on reaſonable terms, and as the preſent ſeaſon is the time for planting, the ſooner application is made the better. The Gardener at Mount Vernon will ſhew them.

JAMES ANDERSON.

February 12.

TO WAGGONERS, WOODCUTTERS, &c.

YOU are hereby forewarned, at your peril, to cut or carry away any Wood, of any kind whatſoever, from the land late his Excellency Gen. Waſhington's, lying on Four Mile Run, and by him willed to me. Mr. Jacob Banz, near the premiſes, has full power to take cognizance of all treſpaſſes committed thereupon, and offenders will be puniſhed with the utmoſt rigour of the law.

GEORGE W. P. CUSTIS.

February 12. 3t

FISH.

THE Subſcriber will contract with thoſe who wiſh to put up Fiſh, for the delivery of any quantity at his landing on the Point.—Gentlemen from the country and thoſe who wiſh to contract for a conſiderable quantity, will find their advantage in an early application, as his terms will be moderate (perhaps leſs than elſewhere) and his ſanding is the moſt convenient on the Potomac.

He has three Houſes on the lower end of Fairfax Street to Rent.

W. PATTERSON.

January 11. 1mep

Alexandria, February 13.

A poll was opened on Tuesday last, for the election of twelve persons, to serve as Mayor, Aldermen, and Common Councilmen, for the Town of Alexandria, for the ensuing year. At the close of the poll, the votes being counted, they stood as follow:

For	George Taylor,	536
	Jonah Thompson,	526
	Alexander Smith,	519
	John Dundas,	514
	Amos Alexander	371
	Aaron Hewes,	362
	George Drinker,	353
	Wm. B. Page,	349
	George Slacum,	348
	John V. Thomas,	308
	John Kincaid,	297
	Robert Brocket,	294

To those who judge rather from the principles of human nature and the history of the world than from their own party prejudices, their particular theories, or their wishes, it must appear uncertain, whether Buonaparte will, with his colleagues, the thirty tyrants of Athens, be overthrown by another party, like Cromwell die the formidable "*Protector*" of the *Commonwealth*, like Monk restore the fallen monarchy, like Doria of Greece decline absolute power for the preservation of liberty, or like Augustus assume it *for the happiness of the Empire.*

[G. T. Cen.]

For the first time since the commencement of the French revolution, "Pitt's *gold*," is exempted from any share in the events in France. The last are wholly attributed to Sieyes' *brass*, and Buonaparte's *steel*.

From a Hamburg paper, dated Nov. 30.

From the hints already thrown out by some Paris journals, there is good reason to believe, that if the blind attachment of the army should continue to support him in his measures, Buonaparte will endeavor to procure a constitution for France after the model of the American constitution; by which means he may hope, by successive re-elections to become President for *life*. This, I say, is probably what he will attempt. But notwithstanding the splendor of his great talents, and the possible purity of his intentions, it does not appear probable that his projects will be attended with success. The steady adhesion, even of the army, to a man whose conduct is at least doubtful, cannot be depended on; and it is upon the army that he entirely relies for support.

And although according to his professions, he may entertain the laudable ambition of distinguishing himself by procuring a general peace for Europe, and then retiring to the rank of a private citizen (besides, that peace does not depend solely upon him), there must be many men in France who, whilst they may not distrust the good intentions of Buonaparte, would not wish the destinies of the Republic to be entrusted to the uncertain caprice of any individual whatsoever. The success of this most daring enterprise seems therefore, I think, extremely doubtful. At all events, the Rubicon is passed; the hero of Italy has thrown off the mask; the Republic is in danger; *Et nous verrons le reste.*

From a London Paper.

Mr. Burke, in one of his Treatises on French affairs, represents the Abbe Sieyes as having pigeon holes, with constitutions of all kinds ready made, ticketed and sorted; some with Executive Directories, some without; some with Councils, some without. We shall probably soon have an opportunity of seeing some more of the Abbe's Works. Of the Abbe it may be said what Butler says, of a Politician in his time—

He had seen five governments run down;
And had a hand in every one,
And by trepanning the old to ruin,
Still made his interest with the new one.

The Perpetual Motion.

In the gaol of Goshen, in this state, two men are confined on suspicion of counterfeiting hard dollars. During their imprisonment, without any other instrument than a pen-knife, they have fabricated a machine of cedar wood which discovers the *perpetual motion*. The machine consists of about 30 cog and spur wheels, of various dimensions, and is set in motion by weights. It can be adapted to a clock, saw-mill, grist-mill, or any other piece of machinery that moves by weights, water, or wind; and will continue them in motion so long as the machinery will last.

By the help of this machine, it is believed water might be brought into this city with trifling expence.

Every friend to the arts and sciences will lament that the public are deprived of the benefit of this discovery, by the imprisonment of its authors.

The above intelligence was communicated to the editor of the Mercantile Advertiser in a letter from Mr. J. Seaman Vandervoort of Goshen. Should it prove true, we congratulate philosophy and our country on the important discovery.

(N. Y. Paper.)

CONGRESS.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

A written message was received from the President of the United States, by his Secretary Mr. Shaw, in the words following, to wit:

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives,

In consequence of your request to me, conveyed in your resolution, of the 4th of this month, I directed the Secretary of State to lay before me copies of the papers intended. These copies, together with his report, I now transmit to the House of Representatives, for the consideration of the members.

JOHN ADAMS.

United States,
Feb. 7, 1800.

The report from the Secretary of State to the President of the United States, contains the following papers.

No. 1. Copy of a note from Robert Liston, Esq. Minister Plenipotentiary, &c. of the king of Great Britain, to the Secretary of State, requesting that application might be made to the President of the United States, to issue his orders for the delivery of Thomas Nash, the Judge of the District Court of South Carolina, and the Attorney of the United States for that district, having expressed their doubts upon the subject, and wished for the interference of the Executive.

No. 2. A letter from the Secretary of State to the honorable Thomas Bee, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the State of South Carolina, stating it to be the opinion of the President that Thomas Nash, ought to be given up, under the 27th art. of the British treaty, if upon due investigation it should be found, that he had committed the crime of piracy and murder as imputed to him.

No. 3. A letter from Judge Bee, to the Secretary of State, informing of proceedings in relation to the above.

No. 4, Certificates of the Select men and town clerk of the town of Danbury, in the state of Connecticut, disproving the oath of Jonathan Robbins, to be a citizen of that place.

No. 5. Extract of a letter from Admiral Sir Hyde Parker, dated Port Royal, to Mr. Liston, stating that Nash had been tried, convicted and hung in chains—and that he confessed himself to be an Irishman.

No. 6. Extract of a letter from Benjamin Moody Esq. Consul of his Brittannic Majesty at Charleston, to Robert Liston, Esq. stating that he had written to admiral Parker, for a copy of the minutes of the Court Martial by which Nash had been tried—and containing Admiral Parker's answer, that it was not in his power to comply with the request, which could be alone granted by the Lords of the Admiralty—that Nash had been executed &c. and confessed himself an Irishman.

Mr. Rutledge moved that the message and papers accompanying it, be referred to the committee appointed in pursuance of a resolution constituting an enquiry whether any provision is necessary to be made to carry into execution the 27th art. of the British treaty.

Mr. Livingston hoped not—and superceded the motion of Mr. Rutledge, by moving a reference to the committee of the whole House.

Mr. Randolph called the yeas and nays upon it—which were agreed to be taken.

After a long debate, both these motions were withdrawn, and the message ordered to lie on the table, and be printed for the use of the members.

TO BE SOLD,

A likely, stout Negro Man,

about 23 years of age, and a good field-worker.—Enquire of the Printer.

January 18. tf

National Solemnities.

The Committee appointed to adjust and carry into effect a plan for commemorating the 22d February, in such manner as should appear to them best calculated to harmonize with the feelings of the Inhabitants of this Town and its vicinity, and to meet the views of Congress,

Respectfully report, That they have adopted an order of Procession to be observed on that day, calculated to unite all classes of citizens—The Procession will be formed in King Street, precisely at 11 o'clock, from which place they will march in order to the Presbyterian Meeting House, where an Oration will be delivered by Dr. *Elisha C. Dick*, accompanied with religious solemnities by the Revd. Messrs. *Davis*, *Muir*, and *Maffitt*.

The colours of the shipping in the harbour to be hoisted at half mast; and the Committee recommend, that all business be suspended, and no stores or shops be opened.

The Committee respectfully invite all classes of their fellow-citizens to join in the proposed solemn tribute to the illustrious man, whose loss is so justly and universally deplored.

The plan of procession is lodged with George Deneale, who is appointed officer of the day, and who will give any information respecting the procession, as also of the military evolutions to be performed on that day.

By order of the Committee.

G. DENEALE, Sec'ry.

February 1, 1800.

☞ *The Members of Saint Andrew's Society are requested to attend a stated quarterly Meeting, to be held at Mr. Gadsby's, on Tuesday Evening next, at 6 o'clock P. M.*

By Order of the President,
JOHN RAMSAY, Sec'ry.

February 13.

NOTICE

To the Officers of the 60th Regiment.

THE Committee appointed to make the proper arrangements for the Procession on the 22d instant having, very politely, expressed to me their wish and desire, that the Officers of the 60th Regiment should join the Procession in Alexandria, and that they, under that hope, had given them a place in the arrangement, I have therefore thought proper to give the several Officers this notice, being fully persuaded that they will most cordially embrace every opportunity in joining their fellow citizens in honorably paying every tribute of respect to the immortal memory of General WASHINGTON, our Chief, our Neighbour and Brother Soldier. It is expected the officers will appear in full uniform, and with side arms, by nine o'clock, on the 22d.

CHARLES LITTLE,
Lieut. Col.

Fairfax, February 11.

Bernard Ghequiere

HAS ON HAND

10 Hhds. and 6 barrels of first quality Barbados sugar
6 Pipes and one quarter cask of old Port Wine
10 Chests souchong tea
10 Chests hyson skin tea
4 Chests hyson tea
6 Chests bohea tea
7 Bales New Orleans cotton
1 Hhd. clover seed
40 Boxes 10 by 12 glass
4 Do. 8 by 10 do.
12 Do. 7 by 9 do.
6 Do. 6 by 8 do.
1000 Weight green coffee
2 Pipes gin
1 Pipe brandy
7 Puncheons rum, 2 and 3 years old
22 Casks best London porter of 6 doz. each
1000 Weight ground ginger
1000 Gallons whiskey
1 Keg peach brandy
80 Barrels prime New York pork
40 Do. do. beef
1 Cask London ale
200 Weight sole leather
½ Ton cordage
6 Kegs fig blue
11 Pieces Ravens duck
70 Pieces white rolls
28 Pieces dowlas

All of which he wishes to dispose of for Cash, approved Notes, Flower, Corn, or Tobacco.

February 13. 4w.

Wanted to Purchase,

☞ *A Negro Boy from 12 to 14 years of age. Enquire of the Printer.*

Jan. 30. 3t.

Public Sale.

At 12 o'clock this Morning
WILL BE SOLD,
At the late Dwelling House of Mr. Joseph Cash, upper end of King Street, Alexandria,

All the Stock in trade of

the said deceased, chiefly consisting of Groceries—Also, House and Kitchen Furniture.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

February 12.

Public Sale.

TO-MORROW, will be sold at the Vendue Store,

Rum in hhds. and bls.

Peach Brandy do. do.
Gin in pipes
Molasses in hhds.
Loaf and brown sugar of different qualities
Tea, coffee, &c. together with
A general assortment of DRY GOODS;

Particulars of which will be made known previous to the sale

P. G. MARSTELLER.

February 13.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That there will be sold, at Public Vendue, on the fourth day of March next, agreeably to the act of Congress, Three Cases of HATS, marked A G, and numbered 5 and 8—imported in the ship Felicity, John Bowdale, Master, from Liverpool.

CHA'S SIMMS, Collector.

February 13. 3wtaw

THE Creditors of W. HARTSHORNE & SON are respectfully informed that a particular statement of their affairs and proposals for paying off their debts, are lodged with JOHN DUNLAP, who will shew them to any Creditor who may call—Those who think proper will please to signify their assent by signing the proposals—Those who have accounts unsettled will call on us and have them adjusted.

February 13. tf

Just Published

AND FOR SALE

At the Office of the COLUMBIAN MIRROR, and at the Office of the TIMES,

(PRICE 25 CENTS)

THE WILL

OF

GENERAL

George Washington:

TO WHICH IS ANNEXED,

A SCHEDULE *of his* PROPERTY,

DIRECTED TO BE SOLD.

An allowance made to those who purchase quantities.

February 8.

PETER HEISKELL,

AT THE SIGN OF

GEN. WASHINGTON ON HORSEBACK,

Corner of King and Pitt Streets, Alexandria,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he has opened a Tavern at the above place, and is provided with a stock of the BEST LIQUORS, and every other article requisite in his line of business. He has in his employ an Ostler, who is much esteemed in that line, and is also considered as being an excellent Farrier.

From the experience which he has had as Innkeeper, during his long residence in Staunton, he flatters himself in the confidence of pleasing those who may favor him with their custom, and pledges himself to use every endeavour to give general satisfaction.

He keeps, on hire, for the accommodation of the Public, a Coachee, with good horses and a careful Driver—also an excellent Riding-Horse.

A Line of Stages runs from this House to George-Town, Baltimore and Philadelphia, every morning, and arrives from said places every evening.

December 12. tf

Ten Dollars Reward.

STRAYED from the subscriber, in Alexandria, on Tuesday the 21st inst. a SORREL HORSE; his marks are, four white legs, greyish hair on his neck, a white star in his forehead, and a thin greyish tail a little bobb'd, between four and five years old, about 14 hands high. The above reward will be given to any one who may take up said Horse and deliver him to

IGNATIUS JUNEGEL.
Harper's Wharf,

January 28, 1800. 3t

American Manufactory.

The subscribers offers for sale a quantity of

WINDOW GLASS,

from the Boston Manufactory, of different sizes. The quality of which is superior to that imported.

DAVID POLOCK & Co.

N. B. They will have a constant supply of this article, and will furnish any quantity of (sizes) from 6 by 8, to 12 by 18, and any that may be wanted larger, can be cut at the manufactory and will be supplied by orders being left with the subscribers.

Aug. 20,

ACADEMY
FOR
YOUNG LADIES.

If the Spring put forth no blossoms, in Summer there will be no Beauty, and in Autumn no Fruit; so, if Youth be trifled away without improvement, riper Years may be contemptible, and old age miserable.

AN ACADEMY FOR YOUNG LADIES will be opened on Monday the 13th current, by Mr. WILLIAM BLACK, who received his education at the Universities of Glasgow and Edinburg, and who has been Preceptor of the Gloucester Academy in Massachusetts ever since its commencement

Young Ladies will be taught the following Branches on the most reasonable terms:

Reading,	*Letter Writing,*
Writing,	*Geography and the*
Arithmetic,	*Use of the Globes,*
English Grammar,	*French.*
Composition and	

English Grammar will be taught on the new approved plan of the celebrated Lindley Murray, whose Grammar and Exercise will be used as Class Books. All the other Class Books will also be new, but not expensive.

The hours of teaching will be from 9 to 12 in the forenoon, and from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

Ample certificates of the moral character and literary ability of the Teacher, are left with the Messrs. Ramsays, King-Street.

Happy the Child, whose green unpractis'd years
The guiding hand of parent fondness rears
To rich instruction's ample field removes,
Prunes every fault, and every worth improves.
Here the fair form, by noble views refin'd,
Shines the bright Mirror of the faultless mind.
With Pity's dew the eye of radiance flows,
With Learning's gem the breast of beauty glows,
The damask cheeks with kind affections glow
And the Mind's whiteness lights the skin of snow.

January 4. 2

Contracts for Potomak Navigation.

AT the Great Falls of Potomak, there are five Locks to be inserted. The seat for one of these locks is already excavated. The pits of the other four are still to be excavated. The President and Directors are anxious to contract for the completion of the said locks, and they will contract separately for the excavation of the Lock Pits, or any of them, or any other part of the work.

This work is well worth the attention of those persons who are accustomed to undertakings of this nature, as it is of considerable magnitude. There will be about 4300 cubic yards of stone to remove in the excavation, and the President and Directors are disposed to grant liberal terms to those that will prosecute it with spirit and to a speedy completion. The funds for the payment are not contingent, but already in their hands.

Any person disposed to engage in this work will make application to the subscriber as soon as possible, as the season for commencing the operations is fast approaching. He has in his possession the plan of the work to be done, and can give every information as to the mode of execution. JOSEPH CARLETON,
Treasurer of the Potomak Company.

George Town, January 27, 1800. 4wep

George Clementson

HAS REMAINING ON HAND THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES:

80 Doz. scythes, common and German, from 46 to 54 inches
6 Boxes hardware, consisting of table knives and forks, pocket and pen knives, women's scissors, razors cases, curry, combs, White Chapel needles, &c.
10 Bundles garden spades
2 Do. Fryingpans
6 Casks sad irons assorted
1 Bale Whitehaven oznaburgs
2 Boxes brown Hollands
6 Pieces 800 5 4 white sheetings
1 Box 7 8 calicoes
1 Do. coloured threads
1 Do. fine hats
20 Kegs white paint
20 Barrels brown sugar
A few reams writing paper, and
A few dozen common leather gloves,

Which he will dispose of on reasonable terms, for Cash or approved Notes; or he will barter the whole, or any part, for Tobacco of the upper Inspections. Apply at his dwelling house, on St. Asaph Street.

February 2. tf

John Foster

HAS JUST RECEIVED,
By Captain Hand, from Philadelphia,
A large supply of
GROCERIES,

In addition to his former stock, which he will sell on moderate terms for cash or produce.

November 19.

Commission Warehouse.

THE subscribers having opened a Warehouse on King Street, near the Washington Tavern, offer their services to their friends, and the public in general, in the line of Commission Merchants and Brokers. They will receive consignments of vessels and cargoes from any port in the United States or elsewhere, and procure freights for vessels. Also buy and sell lands, houses and lots; bills of exchange, negotiable paper, bank and marine insurance stock—and receive for sale, on commission, or on storage, Flour and Wet and Dry Goods.——All business with which they may be entrusted will be executed with the utmost punctuality and dispatch.

HENRY & THOMAS MOORE.

December 31, '99 epom.

Andrew & Wm Ramsay

HAVE IMPORTED,
In the Perseverance, from London, lately arrived at Baltimore,
The following Goods,

Which they are now opening, at their Warehouse, King-Street:

Brown Rolls in Bales
British oznaburg in do.
German do. in do.
Cotton and linen checks in cases
Dowlas in do.
Irish linen in do.
Brown do. in do.
Diaper cloths in do.
Russia sheeting in bales
Best London superfine cloths & cassimers in trunks

A few double and single barreled guns and pistols, with mahogany cases and apparatus complete, equal, if not superior, to any ever imported into this country;

All of which they will dispose of on moderate terms, for Cash or short Credit.

They expect a further supply of Goods by the first arrivals from London.

January 16. tf

THOSE indebted to the Estate of JOHN FITZGERALD, Esq. deceased, are desired to make payment. That estate being much involved, it is hoped that no persons will be backward in discharging what they owe. The Executors, or one of them, can, at all times, be met with in the Town of Alexandria. Those who have claims against the estate are desired to bring them in properly authenticated, that arrangements may be made for payment.

The Warehouse and Pier, belonging to that estate, and several Dwelling-Houses, are to be rented for a year. Terms may be known by application to the Executors, or either of them.

THOMAS A. DIGGS, } Ex'rs.
JAMES KEITH, }

January 1, 1800. 4wep

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY yesterday morning, a Mulatto Man, named EDWARD, who formerly belonged to Mr. J. Ambler, of the City of Richmond, and was sold by Mr. Ambler in June, 1796, to Mr. William Radford—the September following Mr. Radford sold him to Major P. B. Oram. Edward rode with Major Oram, as his servant, through several of the states. In Philadelphia, July 1797, he was sold by Major Oram to Mr. William Glassell, of Fredericksburg, of whom I purchased him. Edward is a light Mulatto, with grey eyes, about twenty two or three years of age, is a good Barber, Hairdresser and Tailor; took with him a variety of clothing; amongst which were a suit of superfine blue cloth, with buckskin breeches, quite new, a short blue waistcoat and breeches, also new, a swandown under waistcoat, a pair of half-boots, with slip tops. He is an artful fellow, and probably has procured a pass, and will endeavour to pass as a free man. I will give the above reward on his being brought home, or Thirty Dollars, if secured in any gaol so that I get him again.

CHARLES JONES,
Orange County.

December 24, 1799. tf

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY, from the subscriber, on the 25th of December, 1799, a Negro Man, named WALTER, about 28 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, remarkably well made; had a variety of clothing, but the particulars are not known. He is a good cook, as well acquainted with the management of horses. The above reward will be given, and all reasonable charges paid, to any person who will deliver him to his master, Mr. Thomas Garrett, living in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Songster, Fairfax County, or to

PETER WISE.

January 20. 4

Salisbury, 18th October, 1799.

THE celebrated Running Horse, MUFTI, imported by John Taylor, esq'r, in August last, will stand at my stable the ensuing season to cover Mares. The terms, &c. will be made known before the commencement thereof.

SAMUEL LOVE.

THE TRIAL OF
PETER PORCUPINE
FOR A LIBEL ON
DOCTOR RUSH.

For Sale by
SAMUEL BISHOP.
Royal Street, Feb. 7.

Lands for Sale, or exchange for other Property.

SEVEN hundred and eighty-eight acres in the county of Hampshire, on the waters of Great Cape Capon, about 20 miles from the Warm Springs, and 80 from Winchester.—This land is full of wood, oak and Pine Timber. Two excellent farms may be made, with 30 to 50 acres of bottom, and rich high lands to each; and in the heart of the timber there is a fine seat for a saw-mill. Capt. Daniel Rice will shew the lands.

Three thousand eight hundred and forty-five acres in the county of Ohio, on the waters of Grave and Fish creeks, near the river Ohio, and about 80 miles below Pittsburg. Some of these lands are very good, with considerable quantities of rich bottom, and plenty of excellent timber. Robert Woods, Esq. the Surveyor of that county, will shew these lands.

One hundred seventy six and three-fourths acres, within three miles of the Warm Springs, upon Great Cape-Capon, near its mouth, and within ¼ of a mile of the River Potomak. This land has about 70 to 80 acres of rich bottom, mostly in cultivation, with 274 fine *sugar trees* on it; from which, I am informed, there may be made 3000lb. of good sugar annually. There is also a seat for grist and saw mills on it, equal to any in this neighbourhood, and upon a never failing stream of water. The upland is rich, with plenty of timber, and part under cultivation. This farm is well improved with a good orchard, houses and fencing, and rented last year for produce equal to sixty pounds per an. Mr. Joseph Butler, at the Warm Springs, will shew it. I will sell all, or any of the above lands for cash, or upon credit, or take in exchange for them lands in Fairfax County, or Lots of land in the town of Alexandria, or the city of Washington.

R. T. HOOE.

Jan. 25. 1800. tf

RAN AWAY, on the 25th ult. from the subscriber, living near Culpepper Court-House, a Negro Man, named JACK, about 30 years old, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, very muscular, full faced, wide nostrils, large eyes, a down look, speaks slowly, and wore his hair cued; had on when he eloped a white shirt, grey broadcloth coat, mixed cassimere waistcoat and breeches, a brown hat, faced underneath with green, and a pair of boots. He formerly belonged to Mr. Augustin Baughan, of Fredericksburg, now of Baltimore, and I am told was seen making for Alexandria, with an intention of taking the stage thither. He is artful, can both read and write, and is a good fiddler; it is therefore probable he may attempt a forgery, and pass for a freeman. He is most commonly known by the name of JACK TAYLOR, was originally from Essex county has a father living there, and it is said he has a wife, the property of Mrs. Dalrymple, of Dumfries. Whoever secures him in any gaol, so that I get him, shall have Ten Dollars Reward, and if taken above sixty and not more than one hundred miles distant, and brought home, shall receive Twelve Dollars, and for any greater distance, Fifteen Dollars, with all reasonable expenses borne. Masters of vessels and stage drivers are forewarned carrying him out of the state, under penalty of the law.

CARTER BEVERLY.

October 6, 1799.

FOR SALE,
In Loudoun County, Virginia,

TWO TRACTS of valuable LAND—one containing 2340 acres, situated near the foot of the Blue Ridge and the Short Hill, partly bounded by Potomak river, about one mile below Harper's Ferry, and three miles above the Ferry at Berlin. It is now, and has been for several years, in the occupation of 15 or 16 tenants, at annual low rents. The adjoining Short Hill is said to contain copper and lead ore, affords abundance of timber and wood for the different tenants, and is an excellent range for cattle and hogs. This estate is well worth the attention of any purchaser who would take the whole and sell it in small divisions. Its situation is a great recommendation to it, exclusive of the advantages of having several pieces of excellent meadow ground and good streams for grist and saw mills; for it is nearly central between Leesburg, Winchester and Frederick Town, and within two miles of the new public works at Harper's Ferry—having also the advantage of water carriage up and down the Potomak, by the now nearly completed passages of the Potomak Canal Company.

The other Tract, called the Valley Tract, contains 1092 acres of excellent arable and level land, five miles from Leesburg, on the Winchester road, on the waters of Goose Creek, which affords excellent mill seats. It is also under annual rents, and is tolerably well wooded. It will be sold in the whole or by divisions of four or five parts. Part of the purchase money to be paid down, and the remainder on passing the deeds. Both these estates are of unexceptionable title, and are free from any debt or incumbrance whatever. Application, or any offers made by letters, post paid, will be duly attended to and answered, if directed to the subscriber, to be left at the post-office, Alexandria.

T. A. DIGGES.

January 20. 6

Two Apprentices wanted to the printing business

James River Land
FOR SALE.

I Will sell from four to six hundred acres of Land, lying in the County of Amherst, on the waters of James River, 110 miles above Richmond, 8 from the Town of New Glasgow, 18 from Warminster, 22 from New Market, and 30 from Lynchburg. At each of the three last named Towns is a tobacco inspection, aided by merchants of capital, and merchant mills convenient, and are situated on James River, where it is navigable to the City of Richmond. The land is very fertile and well adapted for the production of wheat, corn, hemp, and tobacco. Upon the land there a tolerable dwelling house, with some useful out-houses, an apple and a cherry orchard. There is upon the premises an abundance of valuable timber of various descriptions, with a valuable mill-seat. For terms apply to the Subscriber.

HENRY ROSE.

Fairfax, December 26.

N. B. Lands in Fairfax, or property in the Town of Alexandria, would be received in exchange. H. R.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber last night, 23d instant, at Colchester, a Negro man, named *Charles*—of a yellowish complection; ties his hair; about 30 years of age; near 5 feet 10 inches high; stout and well made.—Had on, when he went away, a Negro cotton coat and overalls of the same, and a new felt hat. He was purchased of Mr. Hepburn, near Alexandria, and will probably go into that neighbourhood again. The above reward will be given, and all reasonable charges paid for delivering said Negro at the Washington Tavern, Alexandria, or securing him in gaol, so that I get him again.

THOS. FULLILOVE.

Jan. 25.

WILL BE SOLD
ON THE FIRST OF MAY NEXT,
NINE HUNDRED & FIFTY EIGHT ACRES
Good Farming Land,

IN Prince William County, Virginia, lying on the waters of Broad Run, about 30 miles from Alexandria, and 15 from Dumfries. It is unnecessary to say any thing of the improvements on the land, as those who are inclined to purchase it is presumeable will first view the property. One half the purchase money will be required on the day of sale, the remainder in 12 months.

B. DULANY, Jun.

December 28.

George-Town Ferry, Oct. 4, 1799.

CAME to this Ferry, Yesterday, a suspicious looking Negro Man, who, I am informed, had a handsome Horse, with a Saddle and Bridle, tied in the woods. On pursuing the fellow (who made his escape by running off) a Horse, of the following description, was found, viz. a bright bay, about 14½ hands high, with one white hind foot, a star in his forehead, a small snip on the end of his nose, and a small piece has been taken off his tail, which is not yet quite well. He appears never to have been shod. The fellow, I am since informed, calls himself PETER FLEMMON, the property of John Berton, of Cumberland county, Virginia. The said Negro was some time past condemned in Alexandria for horsestealing; from which he was reprieved. The owner of the above horse may have him by proving property and paying charges, on applying at the above Ferry.

CLEM. SEWALL.

To be Rented,

And Possession given about the 10th of next March,

A Newly built two story BRICK HOUSE 44 by 32 feet, calculated for a Tavern, with other necessary buildings, viz. Kitchen, Smoak House, Stables, &c. situated at the new Court House of Fairfax county, with other accommodations and privileges, which (as it is presumed a person inclined to rent would first view them) are unnecessary to enumerate, as it is conceived there are but few situations that offer greater advantages in that line than the above, it would be worth the attention of a person who is calculated therefor.—I will rent the premises for one, two, or more Years, as may best suit the Tenant, at a very reasonable Rent, to a man of ability and good character as an innkeeper—For further information, application to be made to me near the said Court House.

RICHARD RATCLIFFE.

January 22. tf

JUST IMPORTED,
In the schooner Eliza, Capt. Teel, from Gonaives, and for sale by the subscribers at their warehouse, on King Street,
31 bales of Cotton;
178 bags 1st quality Coffee.

J. PATTON and J. DYKES.

☞ They have also on hand—Sugar in hhds. a parcel of Logwood, and 3 bales Kendal Cottons. Dec. 31. epsw

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